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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

Plaintiff,

United States of America,

VS.

Jared Lee Loughner,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 11cr0187 TUC LAB

ORDER DENYING DEFENSE REQUEST FOR ADVANCE NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADMINISTER ANTI-PSYCHOTIC MEDICATION

The Court has received a one-sentence motion filed on behalf of the defendant requesting that reasonable notice be given to his counsel before the FMC Springfield staff administers anti-psychotic medication to him. The motion is **DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

The Court is confident that the trained medical staff at the Federal Medical Facility are aware the defendant may not be *forcibly* medicated absent a suitability determination and authorization from this Court. *Sell v. United States*, 539 U.S. 166 (2003). If defense counsel is asserting a right to contest any *unforced* treatment regimen selected by the FMC medical staff — which, only if extant, implies a requirement that the FMC staff provide counsel with advance notice of the defendant's *voluntary* decision to take anti-psychotic medication — counsel must file a supplemental motion, more than one sentence long, outlining the legal theory and caselaw supporting such a right. If counsel elects to file a supplemental motion,

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1	the Government shall have one week to file a response and opposition, or a statement of
2	non-opposition.
3	IT IS SO ORDERED.
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5	DATED this 2 nd day of June, 2011
6	Lawy A. Burny
7 8	Honorable Larry Alan Burns United States District Judge
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